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SCALE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR THE APPORTIONMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Letter dated 26 January 1995 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly

At present, 25 Member States are in arrears under the terms of Article 19 of the Charter, which states as follows:

> "A Member of the United Nations which is in arrears in the payment of its financial contributions to the Organization shall have no vote in the General Assembly if the amount of its arrears equals or exceeds the amount of the contributions due from it for the preceding two full years. The General Assembly may, nevertheless, permit such a Member to vote if it is satisfied that the failure to pay is due to conditions beyond the control of the Member."

The minimum payments necessary to reduce the amounts owed by those Member States on their contributions so that they remain below the gross amount owed for the preceding two full years (1993-1994) are the following: 1/

1/ Although the amount of the arrears of South Africa exceeds the amount of contributions due from it for the preceding two full years, the General Assembly, in paragraph 8 of its resolution 48/258 A of 23 June 1994, decided "to consider, as an exceptional measure, that the arrears of South Africa that have accrued to date were due to conditions beyond its control and, accordingly, that the question of applicability of Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations related to the loss of voting rights in the General Assembly in this respect will not arise".

	United States dollars
Burkina Faso	115 400
Burundi	47 300
Central African Republic	98 900
Chad	195 800
Comoros	115 400
Djibouti	13 400
Dominican Republic	568 000
Equatorial Guinea	252 500
Gambia	114 600
Grenada	84 200
Guatemala	240 200
Guinea-Bissau	198 600
Haiti	115 400
Iraq	615 900
Liberia	302 200
Mali	68 300
Mauritania	53 300
Niger	94 500
Sao Tome and Principe	244 000
Senegal	105 400
Sierra Leone	114 423
Somalia	267 600
Vanuatu	96 300
Yemen	24 500
Yugoslavia	6 945 400

(Signed) Boutros BOUTROS-GHALI
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